GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
LOK SABHA

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PRODUCTION OF NARCOTIC DRUG
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Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

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(a) whether the Government has come across the illegal production of narcotic drugs in Pharmaceutical units in various parts of the country;

(b) if so, the steps taken by the Government in this regard;

(c) whether any action has been taken against such units; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS & MINISTER OF STEEL (SHRI RAM VILAS PASWAN)

(a) to (d):. The Directorate of Revenue Intelligence (DRI) has booked three cases of illegal production of narcotic drugs in pharmaceutical units during the last two years i.e. 2003-2004 and 2004- 05 (upto November, 2004). In these cases 9 persons were arrested. However, the Narcotics Control Bureau has not come across any such case.